IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL BAIL APPLICATION NO.5515 OF 2004

Shri Rajendra Ramchandra Kulal & Anr. ...Applicants

Versus

State of Maharashtra ...Respondent

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Mr.Dilip Bodake for Applicants.

Mr.S.R.Shinde, A.P.P. for Respondent.

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CORAM: A.M.KHANWILKAR, J.

DECEMBER 13, 2004.

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1. Heard Counsel for the parties. Perused the record.

2. In the first information report, it is clearly alleged that the Applicant No.1/husband demanded sum of Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Thousand) for purchasing some land. There is material on record to suggest that the Applicant No.3/mother-in-law of the deceased also raised demand of similar nature and which was spoken to by

her in a marriage of cousin sister-in-law of deceased on 24th November 2004 and soon thereafter, the deceased is alleged to have committed suicide. In other words, so far as Applicant Nos.1 and 3 are concerned, not a case for anticipatory bail.

3. Insofar as Applicant Nos.2 and 4 are concerned, except general allegations that the Applicant No.4/father-in-law used to find fault with the deceased on paltry issues, there is no other allegation. Similarly, there is no allegation against Applicant No.2 Vijay Ramchandra Kulal, who is the brother-in-law of the deceased. Accordingly, this Application succeeds only with respect to Applicant No.2 Vijay Ramchandra Kulal and Applicant No.4 Ramchandra Krishna Kulal on the following conditions :

(a) The Applicant No.2 Vijay Ramchandra Kulal and Applicant No.4 Ramchandra Krishna Kulal are granted anticipatory bail in connection with C.R.No.90/04 registered with Vaduj Police Station on executing personal bond in the sum of Rs.20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Thousand) each, with one

or two local sureties in the like amount.

(b) The Applicant Nos.2 and 4 shall abide by the conditions as required under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, as applicable to the State of Maharashtra.

. Application disposed of on the above terms.

A.M.KHANWILKAR, J.